Five copies of the DALLY, for copies of the SENI-WEEKLY....

The whole machinery comployed to conduct the business arising out of our foreign relations with all the powers of the world is far more simple than is generally conceived. The number employed in the Department of State of the United States is only seventeen, as follows: One Secretary of State, (Hon. William L. Marcy.) one Assistant Secretary of State, (William Hunter,) one chief clerk, twelve clerks, one translator, and one librarian.

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Consular Branch.—This branch has charge of the correspondence, &c., between the department and the consuls and minureful agents of the United States. In it instructions those officers, and answers to their despatches and to letter from other persons asking for consular agency, or relating to consular affairs, are prepared and recorded.

The Disbursing Agent.—He has charge of all correspondes and other matters connected with accounts relating to y fund with the disbursement of which the department is larged.

tions as the department may require. He also records the commissions of consuls and vice consuls, when not in English, upon which exequaturs are issued.

Clerk of Appointments and Commissions.—He makes out and records commissions, letters of appointment, and nominations to the Senate; makes out and records exequaturs, and records, when in English, the commissions on which they are issued. Has charge of the library.

Clerk of the Rolls and Archives.—He takes charge of the rolls, or enrolled acts and resolutions of Congress, as they are received at the department from the President; prepares the authenticated copies thereof which are called for; prepares for, and superintends their publication, and that of treaties, in the newapapers and in book form; attends to their distribution throughout the United States, and that of all documents and publications in regard to which this duty is assigned to the department; writing and answering all letters connected therewith. Has charge of all Indian treaties, and business relating thereto.

Clerk of Authentications and Copyrights.—He has charge of the seals of the United States and of the department, and prepares and attaches certificates to papers presented for authentication; receives and accounts for the fees. Has charge of publications transmitted to the department under the laws relating to copyrights; records and indexes their titles; records all letters from the department, other than the diplomatic and consular.

Clerk of Pardons and Passports.—He prepares and records passports; keeps a daily register of all letters, other than diplomatic and consular, received, and of the disposition made of them; prepares letters relating to this business.

nees of this office may be classified under the following heads:

1. Official opinions on the current business of the government, as called for by the President, by any head of department, or by the Solicitor of the Treasury.

2. Examination of the titles of all land purchased, as the sites of arsenals, custom-houses, light-houses, and all other public works of the United States.

3. Applications for pardons in all cases of conviction in the courts of the United States.

4. Applications for appointment in all the judicial and legal business of the government.

6. Also supported by the head thereof to the Attorney General.

To these ordinary heads of the business of the office are added at the present time the following, viz:

First. The direction of all appeals on land claims in Cali-

District of Columbia.

INTERIOR DEPARTMENT.

Secretary of the Interior Department, Hon. Robert McClelland, of the State of Michigan. Its clerical force consists of one chief clerk, (George C. Whiting, esq.,) one disbursing agent, and ten other regular clerks; and to its supervision and management are committed the following branches of the public service:

1st. The Public Lands.—The chief of this bureau is called the "Commissioner of the General Land Office." The Land Bureau is charged with the survey, management, and sale of the public domain, and the issuing of titles therefor, whether derived from confirmations of grants anade by former governments, by sales, donations, of grants for schools, military bounties, or public improvements, and likewise the revision of Virginia military bounty land claims, and the issuing of scrip in lieu thereof. The Lund Office, also, audits its own accounts. The present Commissioner is Hon. T. H. Hendricks, of Indiana. Its principal officers are a recorder, chief or principal clerk of public lands, principal clerk of private land claims, and principal clerk of public lands, principal clerk of private land claims, and principal clerk of public lands, principal clerk of private land claims, and principal clerk of public lands, principal clerk of private land claims, and principal clerk of surveys—all of whom are appointed by the President and confirmed by the Senate—besides a draughteman, assistant draughtsman, and some 106 clerks of various grades.

2d. Pensions.—The present head of this bureau is the Hon.

clerk, (S. Cote, eag.,) and a permanent corps consist-ing of some seventy other clerks, to which Congress, to enable him to meet the extraordinary requirements of the new bounty-land law, has added a temporary force of about fifty clerkships of different denominations.

3d. Indians.—Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Hon. George W. Manypenny, of Ohio. He is provided with a chief clerk and about fifteen other subordinate clerks.

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4th. Patest Office.—To this bureau is committed the execution and performance of all "acts and things touching and respecting the granting and issuing of patents for new and useful discoveries, inventions, and improvements;" the collection of statistics relating to agriculture; the collection and distribution of seeds, plants, and cuttings. It has a chief clerk—who is by law (as at the present time) the Acting Commissioner of Patents in the absence of the Commissioner—ten principal and ten assistant examiners of patents, besides some dozen other subordinate permanent clerks.

Besides these four principal branches of this new executive department, the organic act of 1849 transferred to it from the Treasury Department the supervision of the accounts of the United States courts; the management of the lead and other mines of the United States, and the affairs of the penitentiary of the United States, and the affairs of the penitentiary of the United States, and the differs of the Find the other mines of the United States, and the penitentiary of the United States, and the District of Columbia; and from the State Department the duty of taking and returning the censuses of the United States, and of supervising and directing the acts of the Commissioner of Public Buildings. By recent acts of Congress, also, the hospital for the insance of the army and navy and of the District of Columbia is under the management of this department; and by assignment from the President, it has added to its long list of duties the survey and demarcation of the unsettled boundary lines between the States and Territories and bordering nations.

This department is at present very inconveniently sepa-

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intends the collection of all debts due the Post Office Department.

Treasurer's Office.—Samuel Casey, esq., Treasurer, and thirteen clerks. He receives and keeps the moneys of the United States in his own office, and that of the depositories created by the act of the 6th of August, 1846, and pays out the same upon warrants drawn by the Secretary of the Treasury, countersigned by the First Comptroller, and upon warrants drawn by the Postmaster General, and countersigned by the Nixth Anditor, and recorded by the Register. He also holds public moneys advanced by warrant to disbursing officers, and pays out the same upon their checks.

Register's Office.—Finley Bigger, Register, and twenty-nine clerks. He keeps the accounts of public receipts and expenditures; receives the returns and makes out the official statement of commerce and navigation of the United States; and receives from the First Comptroller and Commissioner of Customs all accounts and vouchers decided by them, and is charged by law with their safe-keeping.

Solicitor's Office.—Francis B. Streeter, Solicitor, and six

Solicitor's Office.—Francis B. Streeter, Solicitor, and six clerks. He superintends all civil suits commenced by the United States, and instructs the United States attorneys, marshals, and clerks in all matters relating to them and their results. He receives returns from each term of the United States courts, showing the progress and condition of such suits; has charge of all lands and other property assigned to the United States in payment of debts, and has power to sell and dispose of the same for the benefit of the United States.

States.

Light-House Board.—Hon. James Guthrie, president; Com. W. B. Shubrick, United States navy, chairman; Gen. J. G. Totten, United States army; Col. James Kearney, United States army; Prof. A. D. Bache, Superintondent of Coast Survey; Prof. Joseph Henry, secretary of Smithsonian Institution; Commander S. F. Dupont, United States navy; Licent. Thornton A. Jenkins, United States navy, secretary; Capt. Edmund L. F. Hardcastle, United States army, secretary; and five clerks. This board directs the building and repairing of light-houses, light-vessels, buoys and beacons, contracts for supplies of oil, &c.

Long. Survey.—Alexander D. Bache, etc., superintendent.

Coast Survey.—Alexander D. Bache, esq., superintendent, and thirty-eight assistant draughtsmen, &c.

NAVY DEPARTMENT.

The Navy Department consists of the Navy Department proper, being the office of the Secretary and of five bureaus attached thereto, viz: Bureau of Navy-yards and Docks, Bureau of Construction, Equipment, and Repair, Bureau of Provisions and Clothing, Bareau of Ordnance and Hydrography, and the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery.

The following is a statement of the duties of each of these offices and of the force employed therein:

Secretary's Office.—Hon. James C. Dobbin, Secretary of the Navy; Charles W. Welsh, esq., chief clerk; and elevencierks. The Secretary of the Navy has charge of everything connected with the naval establishment, and the execution of all laws relating thereto is intrusted to him, under the general direction of the President of the United States, who, by the constitution, is commander-in-chief of the army and navy. All instructions to commanders of squadrons and commanders of vessels, all orders of officers, commissions of officers both in the navy and marine corps, appointments of commissioned and warrant officers, orders for the enlistment and discharge of seamen, emanate from the Secretary's office. All C. duties of the different bureaus are performed under the authority of the Secretary, and their orders are considered as emanating from him. The general superintendence of the marine corps forms, also, a part of the duties of the Secretary, and all the orders of the commandant of that corps should be approved by him.

Bureau of Navy Yurds and Docks,—Commodore Joseph Smith, chief of the bureau, four clerks, one civil engineer, and one draughtsman. All the navy-yards, docks and wharves, buildings and machinery in navy-yards, and everything immediately connected with them, are under the superintendence of this bureau. It is also charged with the management of the Naval Asylum.

Bureau of Construction, Equipment, and Rep

Research the Naval Asylum.

Bersons.—The present head of this bureau is the Hon. The Market of Commissioner is ged with the examination and adjudication of all claims age under the var our and numerous laws passed by Congraining bounty land or pensions for military or navalices in the revolutionary and subsequent war in which United States have been engaged. He has one chief of the congraining bounds and present of some seventy other clerks, to which Congress, to label the market and the providing of all vessels with their equipment, as sails, anchors, water tanks, &c. The engineer-inchief superintends the construction of all marine steam enlief superintends the mark that approval of the Naval Asylum.

Barcan of Construction, Equipment, and Repair,—John Lenthall, esq., chief of the bureau, eight clerks, and one draughtsman. The office of the engineer-in-chief superintends the engineer of its bureau, who is assisted by three assistance engineers. This bureau has charge of the building and repairs of all vessels with their equipment, as sails, anchors, water tanks, &c. The engineer-inchief superintends the construction of all marine steam enlief superintends the appropriate of the bureau, eight clerks, and one draughtsman. The office of the engineer-in-chief of the bureau, eight clerks, and one draughtsman. The office of the engineer-in-chief of the bureau, eight clerks, and one draughtsman. The office of the engineer-in-chief of the bureau, eight clerks, and one draughtsman. The office of the engineer-in-chief of the bureau, eight clerks, and one draughtsman. The office of the engineer-in-chief of the bureau, eight clerks, and one draughtsman. The office of the engineer-in-chief superintends the engineer-in-chief superintends the engineer-in-chief superintends the engineer of the bureau, eight clerks, and one draughtsman. The office of the engineer-in-chief superintends the engineer-in-chief superintends the engineer of the bureau, eight clerks, and one draughtsman. The office of the engine from the engine for t chief superintends the construction of all marine st gines for the navy, and, with the approval of the Se decides upon plans for their construction.

Bureau of Provisions and Clothing.—H. Bridge, purser United States navy, chief of bureau, and four clerks. All provisions for the use of the navy, and clothing, together with the making of contracts for furnishing the same, come under the charge of this bureau.

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Bureau of Ordnance and Hydrography,—Commodore Chas.

Morris, chief of bureau, four clerks, and one draughtsman.

This bureau has charge of all ordnance and ordnance stores, the
manufacture or purchase of cannon, guns, powder, shot, shells,

&c., and the equipment of vessels-of-war, with everything
connected therewith. It also provides them with maps,
charts, chronometers, barometers, &c., together with such
books as are furnished ships-of-war. "The United States
Naval Observators and Hydrographical Office" at Washington, and the Naval Academy at Annapolis, are also under the
general superintendence of the chief of this bureau.

Bureau of Medicine and Surgery.—Dr. William Whelan, surgeon United States navy, chief of bureau, one passed assistant surgeon United States navy, and two clerks. Everything relating to medicines and medical stores, treatment of sick and wounded, and management of hospitals, comes within the superintendence of this bureau.

Hon. James Campbell, Postmaster General. The direction and management of the Post Office Department are assigned by the constitution and laws to the Postmaster General. That its business may be the more conveniently arranged and prepared for his final action, it is distributed among several bureaus, as follows: The Appointment Office, in charge of the First Assistant Postmaster General: the Contract Office, in charge of the Finance Office, in charge of the Finance Office, in charge of the Third Assistant Postmaster General; the charge of the Third Assistant Postmaster General; and the Inspection Office, in charge of the chief clerk.

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rivate acts of Congress, and reports the balances to the Second Auditor's Office.—Philip Clayton, esq., Second Auditor, and twenty-one clerks. He receives and adjusts all accounts relating to the pay, clothing, and recruiting of the army, as well as armories, arsenals, and ordannes, and all accounts relating to the Indian department, and reports the balances to the Second Comptroller for his decision thereon.

Third Auditor's Office.—Robert J. Atkinson, esq., Third Auditor, and seventy-eight clerks. He receives and adjusts all accounts for subsistence of the army, fortifications, Military Academy, military roads, and the Quartermanter's department, as well as for pensions, claims arising from military services previous to 1816, and for horses and other property lost in the military service, under various acts of Congress, and reports the balances to the Second Comptroller for his decision thereon.

Fourth Auditor's Office.—Aaron O. Dayton, esq., Fourth Auditor, and sixteen plerks. He receives and adjusts all accounts for subsistence of the supervision of the accounts connected thereproperty lost in the military service, under various acts of Congress, and reports the balances to the Second Comptroller for his decision thereon.

Fourth Auditor's Office.—Aaron O. Dayton, esq., Fourth Auditor, and sixteen plerks. He receives and adjusts all accounts for the service of the Navy Department, and reports the balances to the Second Comptroller for his decision thereon.

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department, as well as all applications and receipts for postage stamps and stamped envelopes, and for dead ietters.

Inspection Office.—John Oakford, esg., chief clerk, and seventeen clerks. To this office is assigned the duty of receiving and examining the registers of the arrivals and dead agents, and reports of mail failures; of noting the delinquencies of contractors, and proparing cases thereon for the action of the Postmaster General; furnishing blanks for mail registers, and reports of mail failures; providing and sending out mail-bags and mail-locks and keys, and doing all other things which may be necessary to secure a faithful and caset performance of all mail contracts.

All cases of mail depredation, of violation of law by private expresses, or by the forging or illegal use of postage stamps, are under the supervision of this office, and should be reported to it.

All communications respecting lost money, letters, mail depredations, or other violations of law, or mail-locks and keys, should be directed "Chief Clerk, Post Office Department."

All registers of the arrivals and departures of the mails, certificates of the service of route agents, reports of mail failures, applications for blank registers, and reports of failares, and all complaints against contractors for irregular or insperfect service, should be directed "Inspection Office, Post Office Department."

lowing bureaus are attached to this department:

Communding General's Office.—This office, at the head of which is Lieutenant General Scott, is at New York.

Adjutant General's Office.—Col. Samuel Cooper, Adjutant General. Assistants—Lieut. Col. W. G. Freeman, Major George Deas, and Captain Seth Williams. Judge Advocate, Major John F. Lee. Nine clerks and one messenger. In this office are kept all the records which refer to the personnel of the army, the rolls, &c. It is here where all military commissions are made out.

missions are made out.

Quartermaster General's Office.—Gen. Thomas S. Jesup,
quartermaster general; Charles Thomas, assistant quartermaster general; Captain M. M. Clark, district quartermaster; Major H. C. Wayne, in charge of clothing branch;
eleven clerks and one messenger.

Paymaster General's Office.—Col. B. F. Larned, paymaste eneral; Major St. Clair Denny, district paymaster; eigh lerks and one messenger.

Commissary General's Office.—Gen. George Gibson, com-nissary general; assistant, Captain A. E. Shrias; six clerks

and one messenger.

Surgeon General's Office.—Gen. Thomas Lawson, surgeon general; assistants, Dr. R. C. Wood and Dr. Richard H. Coolidge; three clerks.

Engineer Office.—General Joseph G. Totten, chief engineer; assistant, Lieutenant John D. Kurtz; five clerks and

Near Emmittsburg, Frederick County, Md.

THE namual session of studies at this institution commences on the 1-24th August, and terminates on the fast Thursday in June. The terms for hoard and tuition are glido per annum, payable semi-annually in advance. There are extra charges for music, drawing, paining, and also for Spanish, Italian, German, and Latin. The terms for the primary department, composed of pupils under nine years of age, are glido per annum, payable shaft-yearly in advance. Letters of inquiry should be addressed to the MOTHER SUPE RIOR of St. Joseph's Academy, Emmittsburg, Frederick county, Maryland.

July 8—dlyear.

OURT OF CLAIMS.—The undersigned will attend to an business which may be confided to him as a commissioner appointed by the Court of Claims to take testimony, or as an attorne, and connectler of said court. He may be found daily at the Capitol, in the room immediately opposite the office of the clerk of the Court of Chaims.

Aug 8—24w3w* [Iut. and Star.]

P. PHILLIPS, of Mobile, Alabama, will practise in the "Supreme Court of the United Stries," court of claims, and attend to any business connected with his profession. Office 2d floor northeast torner of 7th street and Louisiana avenue. June 29-42mif

Washington Aqueduct.

OFFICE OF THE WASHINGTON AQUEDUCT, Washington, March 7, 1835.

PROPOSALS are lovited for graduation stone and brick masonry, dams, tuncels, and other work of the Washington aqueduct. Proposals, received up to the 8th of May, wall be opened at noon of that day.

Maps, profiles, and specifications of the work will be ready for examination on and after the 29th day of April next.

Proposals will be received for the work of particular cutverts, bridges, &c., &c. as described in the plans and specifications.

Puttions only of some of the works can be completed under the precent appropriation; but all contracts for unfaished work will be subject to future appropriations by Congress. The engineer reserves the right to prescribe the amount of work to be done and rate of the appropriation to holding out sufficiently, to decide when and what works shall be stopped until funds become available.

In case of the entire stoppage of any particular work for want of funds, the reserved ten per cent, will be paid, if, in the judgment of the engineer, the work has been properly executed so far as it has gone.

Payments will be made in specie checks upon the United States.

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Payments will be made in specie checks upon the United States treasury upon the monthly estimates of the engineer, reserving 10 per cent.; and it will be a co-dition of all contracts that the workmen shall be paid their full wages monthly, and in specie.

All bids should be scaled, and enforced "Proposals for work on the Washington Aqueduct."

The United States reserves the right to reject any or all the bids should they are the deemed advantageous, and to make such arrangements as may! e considered most conductive to the progress of the work.

R. H. GILLET,

Consellor at Law,

Has removed his office to his resid n e in Franklin Row, corner of K and Thirteenth streets. He will continue to devote his attention principally to cases in the United States Supreme Court.

Having devoted much time to the law concerning patents, he will give advice and opisions on legal questions arising in cases before the Faster Office, and to appeals to the chief justice or assistant justices of the District of Columbia; and will also assist in the preparation and trial of Lockminis; and will also give written opinions and prepare arguments for parties having claims before Congress or either of the departments; and will also prosecute claims before any board established for their adjudication.

BY RAILROAD DIRECT TO THE WEST.

NEW YORK, BREMEN, AND BOUTH-AMPTON UNITED STATES MAIL STEAMERS.— The ships comprising the line are the WASHING-TON, Uapt. E. Cavendy; HERMANN, Capt. Ed-

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For fieight or passage apply to EDWARD K. COLLINS, No. 56 Wall street, N. Y. BROWN, SHIPLEY, & CO., Liverpool.

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POR SALES or Lease—A commodious four-story and attic houses on 13th street, cast side, near the corner of D street. House con tains twelve rooms, and has recently been papered and painted throughout. Terms accommodating, and possession given immediately. Address room 40, Solicitor's Office, Treasury Department. Get 15—ctt

Preferick City, Md.

THE exercises of this institution will recommence on Monday, the 1st of September. Academy of the Visitation,

TERMS OF BOARDERS.

MICHAEL NOURSE, Agent for the Mutual Life Invarance Company, Hartford, Conn., Office No. 461 Thirteenth street. " All men think all men mortal but themselves"-

How eften verified by the omission of many fathers whose cir stances should prompt them to insure a fund for their widow children in case of death. Ang 14-1awôw [Int.]

Nassau Hall College of New Jersey, Princeton

Washington, D. C., by the third of March. A. D. 1837, at the latest, to brighten the links of the chain of lows and friendeding which time mor tide can ever entirely sever, to exchange once more in their lives greeting and sympathy, and to lament the untimely fate of some of their most promising compeers.

A preliminary meeting of the self-appointed committee will be held on the first Monday in September, A. D. 1836, at the United States Botel, Cheanut street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, which those members of the accent leases to whom it may be convenient are invited to attend, when the necessary measures will be adopted to secure as full an attendance as possible.

In the mean time, those to whom this notice is addressed will be good enough to furnish the secretary of the cousmittee by mail with their respective post offices.

EDWARD J. GRANT, M. D.,

of Trenton, N. J., Chairman of Committee.

ALEXANDER C. HART, M. D.,

of The Charles, Pennsylvania,

PHILIP PENDLETION,

of Winston, Affeghany Co., Md.,

SAMUEL P. RICHARDS,

of Montgomery county, Maryland,

Committee.

John Wendard, of Lebanon, Fa., Secretary.

John Wetdman, of Lebanon, Pa., Secretary.
March 27—lawMar3 [Intelligencer]
All newspapers in the civilized countries of the world are request
d to notice this advertisement in their ditoriol columns, as nemness of the resolution of the secretary of the control of the four great ditrions of the globe; and all newspapers throughout the United
States of America are requested to give it a grantions issurion ocasionally between this date and the 3d of March, A. D. 1857.

Reduction of Panama Railroad.

Reduction of Fare to California.

United States mail steamships leave New York for Aspinwall on the 5th and 20th of each month, connecting with mail steamers from Panama to Sea Francisco.

These steamships have been inspected and approved by the Navy Department, and guaranty speed and agfety.

The Panama railroad (47 miles long) is now completed from ocean to ocean, and is crossed in 3 or 4 hours. The baggage of passengers are embarked at Panama by steamer at the campany's expense. The money paid in New York through to San Francisco, and passengers are embarked at Panama by steamer at the campany's expense. The money paid in New York covers all expenses of the trip.

Roserve examers are kept in port in New York, Panama, and San Francisco, to prevent detention in case of accident, so that the route is emirely retiable.

Passengers leave Panama the same day they arrive at Aspinwall.

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Conductors go through by each steamer, and take charge of women and children without other protectors.

For through tickets at the lowest rates apply at the agency, 177 West attreet, New York, to

May6—dif

BROWN, PRED. P. STANTON, and J. KNOX WALKE.

W. M. T. BROWN, PRED. P. STANTON, and J. KNOX WALK.

W. RR have formed a partnership for practising law in the Supreme
Court of the United States, and the court of claims in Washington, and in the courts of Tennessee. Offices in Washington and in the courts of Tennessee. Offices in Washington and in the curte of tennessee and the state of the parties will always be found at either place, and letter addressed to them will receive prompt attention.

April 19—1600d [intel. and Sentinel copy.]

Nicholas Callan. FOR THE STATES OF

Maine, Connect cut, New York, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia, Ohio, Kentucky, Isdiana, Alabama, Michigan, Florida, Iowa, Wisconsin,

M. A. Tyson and Sister's Female Seminary fo

On F street, between 12th and 13th, Washingt

For particulars, circulars may be had at the n Washington and Bultimore.

Aug 4—d4t&codtSept15 [Star.]

Proposals for building Light-house on Jones's Point, near Alexandria, Virginia.

Point, near Alexandria, Virginia.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
Office Light-house Board,
Washington, August 22, 1855.
Washington, August 22, 1855.
PROPOSALS will be received until 12 o'clock, m., on the 22d of
September next, when the bids will be opened, for furnishing
the materials and hullding a light-house on Jones's Point, Potomac
river, near Alexandria, by the 50th of November rext.
It will be a framed building resting on mick foundation, and of
one and a half story, with basement, having a circular tower on top
for the support of the lantern—the horizontal dimensions being 38
by 19 feet.

Detailed drawings and specifications can be seen at this office,
Should any bid be accepted, a contract will be executed at once
for the work.

No payment will be made until the whole work is completed; and
before it is received it must be inspected and approved by the agent
of the givernment appointed to superinteed the work—said agent
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having power to reject all materials and workmanship not in accordance with the terms of the contract.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids that may be deented prejudical to the public interest.

All hids should be scaled and addressed to the undersigned, endorsed "Proposals for Jones's Point Light-house."

EDM'D L. F. HARDCASTLE,
Aug 23—codlm

Appointment of Superintendent of Buildings

Appointment of Superintendent of Building and Grounds at the University of Virginia.

which was adopted:

"Having reason to believe, from the experience of past years that the proctor and patron of the University night, with propriet and benefit to the University, he relieved from the supervision an eare of the buildings and other public property of the University and that all the out-door duties might with advantage be confided it some skiffell and practical man, who would devote his whole tim to the discharge of these and other duties for a suitable compensation:

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"Resolved, That the whole subject he referred to the executive committee, with authority to divide the duties of the proctor in the manner suggested, and with power to them to make the appoint neut of such an assistant, with a salary not exceeding \$1,000, if, is heir opinion, the interests of the University would be promoted by uch appointment and division of labor between the proctor and sucritical endance."

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